



May 12, 2010

VIA FAX: 303-312-7910

Ms Kathy Hernandez
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RE: Assistance with Water Quality/Soils Testing in Park City

Dear Kathy –

Thank you again for taking the time to meet with me and Mo Slam of UDEQ on Monday.

During our conversation you mentioned that EPA and or UDEQ may be able to offer financial support and/or other resources to Park City Municipal to facilitate soil and water quality testing. I am responding to your offer promptly in the hope that EPA and/or UDEQ can help with sampling to be done during peak run-off flows, which are likely to occur in late May.

For your information, Park City has contracted with Brown & Caldwell to assist with water-related issues and with AMEC to assist with soil-related issues.

Water

With assistance from Brown & Caldwell, Park City will be conducting water sampling in three general areas; at points within Empire Canyon, at points near the three point sources, and at the point source outfalls. This is time-sensitive for two reasons:

- 1) to capture peak runoff flows as part of this data set; and
- 2) we are constructing a water treatment plant at Quinn's Junction that will be equipped consistent with the method of required treatment. We are currently finalizing the sampling point locations for this plan.

We also plan on sampling runoff from known mine dump/tailings sites within Park City. This too is time sensitive as surface flows are limited. We're in the process of developing a sampling plan for these tests.

Soils

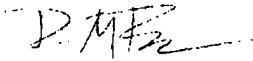
With assistance from AMEC, we are currently working towards characterizing all City-owned parcels within the Soils Ordinance Boundary. Once characterized, the City plans on working towards remediating those parcels as necessary.

We also plan on gathering additional soils data on the known mine dump/tailings sites within Park City. This sampling is much less time-sensitive.

Could you let me know if EPA might be able to provide support with some or all of these activities? I have copied Mo to this letter as yesterday he also mentioned UDEQ's potential interest in facilitating the testing described above.

Thank you again for your offer to help. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D. Foster", with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Diane Foster
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cc: Muhammad Slam